IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of

Lawrence W. Krebs et al

Serial No. 09/110,661 ____

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Examiner B. Phunkulh

For:

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated

August 27, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1 and 2.

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Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board decision on the merits.)

Petition is hereby made to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the period for filing this Notice of Appeal for one month, so as to expire _____. The fee for this extension is included in the attached check.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 26-0090.

Respectfully submitted,

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In the event this paper is deemed not timely filed, the applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to Deposit Account No. 26-0090 along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.